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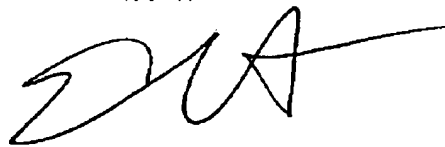
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EXTENSION OF TERM

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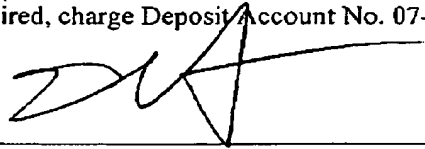
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In response to the Office Action, dated October 3, 2006, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration in view of the following remarks.